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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: Andrea DUDDINGTON, et al.  
Serial No.: 10/528714  
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Examiner: Shyam NATHAN  
Art Group: 1611  
Title: **SURFACE TREATMENT**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313 - 1450

13 May 2009

Dear Sir;

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION / ELECTION REQUIREMENT**

This paper is responsive to the *Restriction Requirement/Election of Species Requirement*  
dated as mailed 30.Apr.2010.

Kindly enter the indicated amendments to the claims and consider the accompanying  
remarks concerning the requirement for restriction of the claims.